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Coding Staff

The *ICD-9-CM Coding Edit Manual*, *Eighth Edition*, has been updated and can be directly viewed at or downloaded from the following web address: http://www.oshpd.ca.gov/MIRCal/programs/IP/editmanual.htm. The Eighth Edition replaces the Seventh Edition.

In accordance with the ICD-9-CM Coding Guidelines effective through the Fourth Quarter 2005 and the code changes as noted in the Federal Register dated August 12, 2005, the following changes were made:

- Add/delete ICD-9-CM codes effective 10/1/2005
- Change 50 inactive coding edits to non-critical coding edits
 See page vi on "Non-Critical Coding Edits" for a complete list
- Revise the following coding edits: V0001, VW012, V0090, VW091
- Expand coding edit V0013 to include the following italicized codes: 294.10-294.11, 327.01-327.02, 327.14-327.15, 327.26-327.27, 327.37, 327.44, 362.01-362.07, 484.7, 525.10-525.19
- Expand coding edit V0246 to include the following codes: 327.00-327.49 for specified and unspecified insomnia conditions

The titles of some coding edits have been revised to a more user-friendly language in the coding edit manual and the reports generated from the coding edit program.

The foreward on page v has been revised to include an explanation of the noncritical coding edits.

If you have any questions or comments concerning the manual, please contact Ginger Cox at 916-327-3915 or gcox@oshpd.ca.gov.

